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for Cook county, Wisconsin, in favor of
the above named plaintiff and against the above
named defendants, I will on Monday, the 5th
day of December, 1881, at ten o'clock in the
forenoon of that day, at the front door of the
postoffice in the city of Janesville, in said
county of Rock, offer for sale and sell at public
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real estate and mortgage premises situated
in said county of Rock and state of Wiscon
consin and in said judgment decreed to be
sold, and therein described as follows, to-wit:
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usually acceptable as Christmas or New Year's greetings. They assure us of the fortifying aid of love and friendship. And as gifts are symbols of those feelings, they are tokens of tenderness and affection which do most honor to human nature and the custom of bestowing them: must forever remain a beautiful one; and that the day of the celebration, or the birthday of a new year should be selected for the bestowal of such offerings, because (as we've said) very materially to the advantage of their welcome.

Before we make another announcement in this paper Christmas will have passed, and we shall have had entered upon 1935. Our friends and all readers of these columns that it may be convenient for them to have "A Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year!"

To those who haven't yet received our HOLIDAY MESSENGER," should give prices at the subscription agency, which sends prices at the lowest possible rate.

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By virtue of an execution issued out of
 the County of Rock, County of Wisconsin, against
 the property of Arthur J. Doty and James M. Wauson,
 debtors, and in favor of the creditors of Arthur J. Doty and James M. Wauson,
 under the firm name and style of Doty & Deeds,

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—STATE OF WISCONSIN,
 COUNTY OF ROCK County for Rock County, Wis.
 Probate.
 Notice is hereby given that at the Jan-
 tary term of the county court to be held in and
 at the city of Janesville, in said county, on the 1st
 of January, in 1889, on the first Tuesday of
 said month of January, A. D. 1889, being January 4th, 1889,
 the following claims against the estate of Arthur J.
 Doty and James M. Wauson, deceased, shall be
 heard, considered and adjusted:
 1. The claim of the said estate of Arthur J. Doty
 and James M. Wauson, deceased, in and out of the
 city of Janesville, in said county, deceased.
 All such claims must be presented for
 adjustment to said court at the said term of the
 county court to be held in and at the city of Janesville,
 in said county, on the 1st of January, A. D. 1889,
 or before the 28th day of May, A. D. 1889,
 or be barred.
 Dated November 28, 1888.
 In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
 hand and the seal of said court.
 J. W. SALE, Judge

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1898, and which has been since acquired in and out of the various cities, towns and villages, and is now for sale and sell to the highest bidder. The property is situated in the city of Jacksonville, in the office in the city of Jacksonville, in said county on Saturday, the 24th day of December, 1898, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, to-wit: Lot nine and 10 of the same city block, 150 feet by 100 feet, on Block near the addition to the city of Jacksonville, Rock County, Wisconsin. — Dated November 18, 1898.
SILAS WARD,
 Sheriff of Rock County, Wisconsin.
 DUSTY & GOLDIN, Pys. Attys.
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APRIL 18, 1888.

MONDAY DECEMBER 17.

LOCAL MATTERS.

The finest art goods and Christmas cards at Sutherland's bookstore.

WORKMEN WANTED.—To try \$2.50 shoes made by W. L. Douglas, (the genuine Douglas shoe) acknowledged the most durable shoe made, fully warranted. For sale by Brown Bros.

For holly, boquet, green and Christmas trees; leave orders at Walter Helms.

Mrs. Judd will sell for cash at public auction at Oak Lawn, Second Ward, on Friday next, Dec. 21st, at 1 o'clock p. m. her furniture and household goods. This is a rare opportunity to secure both fine and ordinary furniture.

The grandest display of holiday goods Call and see them, at Sutherland's bookstore.

To every lady calling at Walter Helms' music store will be given a piece of sheet music free of charge. For this week only.

Handsome wall pockets \$1 at Wheelocks; case with comb and brush, 75 cents; up; new fire place match safe in brass, with oxidized kettle on a crane.

ENOXOLAPES.—Full sets of Dickens' Thackeray, Scott, Irving, George Eliott, etc., cheap, at Sutherland's bookstore.

WARRANTED.—A printed warrant with the celebrated \$3 W. L. Douglas shoe; smooth inner sole, good style and a longer to wear. Try a pair for sale by Brown Bros.

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J. A. TROST.

Clocks and jewelry at The Magnet.

Milk on the Jersey and Maple Groye Dairy wagons at 5 cent per quart.

FOR SALE ON TO RENT.—Before Jan. 1st, an upright piano, nearly new, standard make. Address P. O. Box 1056 City.

Why don't you buy the Douglas shoe, printed warrant with every pair. You will find them at Brown Bros. Bargain shoe store.

The Milwaukee Clothing Company's stock of Alaska seal caps, warranted London dye, turban and Detroit shapes, are greatly reduced to price to close.

There are 20% more of land in the third ward, nearly one-half of which fronts on two good streets, and can be platted into 30 good lots, worth \$100 to \$250 each; the balance, first-class for small fruit or market gardeners, and all of which can be bought for \$1700. Good reasons for selling at this extremely low price. There is, in the investment, a certainty of a profit of an hundred fold. C. E. BOWLES.

Evergreen and holly at Denniston's. New York sage cheese at Denniston's. Shelled walnuts, Brazil, almonds, pig-seedless raisins, currants, citron, lemon and orange peel; dried fruits, etc., at Denniston's.

All wood is kept under shed and protected from storm, at Smith & Gateley's.

Choice wicker and speck ribs at J. Lobb's, West Milwaukee street.

"Dainties for the Epicure and Substantial for the Hungry" is the name of a neatly bound cook book filled with valuable information. A few copies have been left at the Gazette office for sale, price \$1.00.

A black walnut, marble top, bed room suit, also another lot of these beautiful Silver Oak, coal and wood heaters at Sutherland's store and furniture store, North Main Street.

Boy's and children's suits at prices that will please you, at Zeigler's.

BLACKSMITHS.—Try Smith & Gateley's smithing coal.

Toys and books at The Magnet.

Loz for washing purposes delivered to any part of the city for \$1 per load. Leave orders at Smith & Gateley's.

Headquarters for low prices in holiday goods is at the Magnet, No. 2, East Milwaukee street.

Parties intending the purchase of an overcoat should read the advertisement of the Milwaukee Clothing Company in this issue. Their special sale begins Saturday, Dec. 30th.

Call at Zeigler's and see the finest line of Prince Alberts ever exhibited in Janesville.

Hosiery and underwear at The Magnet.

Buy your boots where you can get the best assortment of reliable goods to choose from at the lowest prices on record. RICHMOND SHOE CO.

GOAL GAS AT CLINTON.

A Defective Chimney Causes the Death of Mrs. John D. Northrop.

Other Members of the Family Found Unconscious, but Resuscitated.

Special to the Gazette.
Clinton, Dec. 17.—Sunday morning the neighbors noticed that no one was stirring at the home of J. D. Northrop, and finally broke into the house, only to find Mrs. Northrop dead and Mr. Northrop so nearly gone as to require the most diligent work for several hours to resuscitate him. Mr. Northrop's hired man, who slept in a back room was too sick to get up.

The air throughout the house was dense with coal gas. In one of the stores a fire had been built Saturday night for the first time during the season. Loose bricks falling into the chimney had stopped the draft and had sent a flood of gas pouring out into the rooms.

RECEIPTS.

—St. Mary's Fair at the Armory.
—The Christmas trade is finally making itself felt.

—Did you pay your dues in the Building Association to-day.
—Diamond studs at A. F. Hall & Co's.
—"the reliable jeweler."

—Marshall Hogan captured two Sunday drunks yesterday.

—J. W. Grubb, of Kansas City, is visiting his old home in this city.

—Members of the Royal Adelpheia will meet to elect officers this evening.

—Sterling Hall, advance agent for the Madison Javeline Opera Co. was in the city to-day.

—Another large invoice of very fine silverware was received by S. C. Burnham this morning.

—The good boys are catching on in great shape, to those \$2.50 and \$4 watches at S. C. Burnham's.

—The little son of F. W. London, who was so badly hurt in falling from a wagon recently, is again rapidly.

—The regular meeting of the Ladies' Temperance Society will be held at Mrs. Hayes' parlors, Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

—The Rev. W. A. McAttee, of Madison, delivered two able sermons yesterday before the Presbyterian church congregation.

—Crystal Temple of Honor No. 32 assembled in regular weekly session this evening—lodge room in the Judd block, North Main Street.

—The Odd Fellows and their families and friends enjoyed a pleasant social dancing party at Odd Fellows hall on Saturday evening.

—Matt O. Moloney, the well-known Solviero breeder, has been in the city during the past few days shaking hands with Janesville horsemen.

—Mr. R. L. Colvin returned home this afternoon from California, where he has been since the middle of October, attending to business matters and sight-seeing.

—Captain S. J. M. Putnam, steward of the State Hospital for the Insane at Mendota, is "at home" to-day, celebrating his sixty-third birthday anniversary with his family.

—Look at the Milwaukee street show window of A. F. Hall & Co., "the reliable jeweler"—then step into their store and a glance will convince you that all their goods are not in the window.

—Parties holding invitations to the Commercial Travelers banquet are requested to notify the committee of their acceptance at an early date, so that suitable arrangements may be completed.

—The newly elected directors of the City Hospital will meet this evening at the rooms of the Associated Charities in the Jackson block, for the purpose of electing officers and laying plans for the ensuing year.

—The Chicago & Northwestern Railway Company will sell excursion tickets to all points on its line December 24th, 25th, 31st, and January 1st good to return until January 31, at one and one-third fare for round trip.

—The Green Bay passenger train bound south arrived in this city at 12:20 this afternoon, the coaches having the appearance of a collision with a snow storm at some point north. The coaches had a good deal of the "beautifol."

—The good people at the First M. E. church and society are making extensive arrangements for their "Chicken Pie" social, which will be given at Cannon's hall on Wednesday evening of this week. The public is invited and every one will be made welcome.

—Gift lettering for Christmas books, done in any style desired, at the Gazette bindery.

—Professor A. B. Severance has sent word that he will open an afternoon dancing class for little people in this city after the holidays, as well as an evening class for older pupils. The professor has many friends in this city who will be pleased to hear of his return.

—The Janesville Coporidus Society will give one of their enjoyable social dancing parties at their hall on to-morrow evening to which the public is invited.

—Smith & Anderson will furnish the music and a good time is guaranteed to all. Tickets only fifty cents.

—The Masonic fraternity will inaugurate a series of social dancing parties, commencing this evening at Masonic hall. Smith & Anderson's orchestra has been engaged. These parties are intended for the social enjoyment of the members, their families and specially invited friends.

—Miss Carrie B. Zunkel, aged 25 years, and who had been sick for about three months, died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis W. Zunkel, Niagara road, at two o'clock this morning. The family will have the sympathy of many in the hours of their mourning. The funeral announcement will be placed hereafter.

—Senator Kidd, of Grant county and Assemblyman Schyler, of Washington county, and Legier, of Milwaukee, composing the state visiting committee for the charitable and penal institutions of the state, arrived in this city this morning and are visiting the School for the Blind.

THE CHURCHES WILL BLOOM.

Arrangements Already Being Made for Many Christmas Observances.

A Number of Novelties in the Use of Holiday Greens Promised.

One week more and then—Christmas Eve. If anyone fails to realize that fact it is his own fault. It is proof positive that he came under the influence of the church during the Sabbath just passed. Christmas and Christmas observances formed a leading topic of discussion in all of the local places of worship, and the odor of evergreen had almost detected in the air.

Nearly all of the Janesville churches will remember the little people by Christmas observances. Only a small proportion of the services have been arranged, but the demand for Christmas greens is already brisk.

"A great many people don't seem to realize," said a gentle enthusiast known for her good taste, "how much more effective evergreen is used in connection with something else than used alone. Of course evergreens come first, but their stiffness should be toned down with sprays of ivy, holly and even fir. After the evergreen is up there is a chance for the flowers."

"An eastern authority, in speaking of the matter of church decorations recently, gave a number of hints that many in this city will find of interest. It is advised that the evergreens should be first arranged upon walls and about columns and gas brackets as the flowers can then be placed with greater effect and economy. The writer continues: In making wreaths only small pieces of evergreen should be used. It requires more time, but the added beauty will repay the trouble. A few slender twigs of ivy should be worked in to relieve the severe uniformity and to make trailing lines of green on the wall. Long ropes of evergreen should be tied and here again should be used only the smaller pieces. Wreaths and ropes should be made carefully, and the strings employed ought to be of a dark, strong material. When the long ropes of evergreens are finished they can be used in a variety of ways, some in straight lines, others looped up or in circles. A few wires useful in connection with the string when loops are to be arranged. Ivy wreaths made with small sprigs of holly as ornamentations should be tied on wire, since they cannot be kept in shape otherwise.

Gas brackets are easily decorated with long sprays of ivy, intermingled with small sprigs of a brighter color, variegated holly, for instance. Ivy resist heat better than any other green, and it is used for pendant above the burners. In the chancel, as along the galleries, wreaths composed of green and variegated foliage should be twined about each support, and flowers should be worked into them with careful effect.

Laurel shoots fixed to sticks fastened here and there to the rails, are now and prettier than the rope of evergreen fastened usually on the railing. The same plan may be utilized at the windows, and alyseum should be worked into the ropes and wreaths. Flowers should be liberally used along the gallery and on the pulpit. Wreaths should be used on the latter, made of uniform size and of the smallest foliage. While flowers in clusters, such as Roman hyacinths are handsome, if these can not be had the holly berries will be attractive.

THE CHURCHES ARE SHOWY in wreaths, and if chrysanthemums are used with them they are very beautiful. The pulpit requires more ivy and flowers and no evergreens. Slender shoots of variegated ivy and Roman hyacinths are the most choice decorations, and if possible to secure a vase filled with maidenhair fern the effect will be artistic and beautiful.

In decorating a church the shape and size should be first considered, and then the effect of designs should be tried. A great deal depends upon the arrangement of decorations, so that a low building should not be made to appear lower, or a high one higher. Nor should there be so much in the way of decoration that the eye is oppressed. Beauty in detail and beauty in outlines can be secured if enough interest is taken in the work to study it before it is undertaken. The idea of decoration should be to combine harmony and lightness, so that the eye will rejoice in the colors introduced into the otherwise plain interior familiar to congregations; thus the true decoration achieved.

THE WEATHER.

At seven o'clock yesterday morning the thermometer indicated 31 degrees above zero. Cloudy with southeast wind.

At one o'clock p. m. the register was 42 degrees above zero. Cloudy with southwest wind.

At seven o'clock this morning the thermometer indicated 25 degrees above zero. Cloudy with north wind.

At one o'clock p. m. the register was 29 degrees above zero, Cloudy with northwest wind.

For the corresponding hours one year ago the register was 22 and 29 degrees above zero.

AMERICAN EXPRESS CO.

For the accommodation of our patrons living on the east side of the river, we will have until Christmas day a branch office in room with Siles Heyner, insurance agency next to the Rock County National Bank. This branch office is for the receiving of packages for shipment only and will be open every day after 2 p. m. Heavy or bulky shipments will be called for if word is left or sent to the main office, 108 West Milwaukee street or at the branch office.

A. P. BURNHAM, Agent.

NOTICE.

The canvassers for the City Directory begin taking names at residences Thursday morning. Citizens will kindly furnish them the information readily in order to expedite the canvass.

Respectfully,
W. F. CURTIS.

IS NOT AN EXTREMIST.

Geographical Notes Concerning Bishop C. F. Knight.

Rev. C. F. Knight, bishop elect, for whom prayers were offered in the Janesville Episcopal churches yesterday, is by the testimony of his friends a man well fitted by nature for the high position he has been elected to hold. The Milwaukee Journal says:

"A man of great firmness and positiveness of character, he will make his inherent force felt in all parts of the diocese and not of any section or faction. With this decision is coupled a winning manner which at once attracts all with whom he comes in contact and makes them friends and admirers whether previously well-disposed towards him or not. It is on account of these characteristics that his friends here look forward with confidence to a healing of the unfortunately strained relations between certain parishes and the balance of the diocese which have existed for nearly or quite a decade and half past.

Bishop Knight's executive ability is a quality highly necessary in the bishop of any diocese, but especially needed in the newer ones of the west—as illustrated by the manner in which, from a weak and struggling parish bearing the burden of a heavy debt, he has elevated that of St. James in Lancaster, Pa., of which for a number of years past he has been rector, to the position of one of the most important parishes in the diocese of central Pennsylvania with a list of communicants numbering 348 and an average Sunday attendance of nearly 1,000, while the debt which, previous to his coming, the members of the church were hopeless of lifting, has been entirely paid off, and it has been found necessary to increase the seating capacity of the edifice three times. He is far from being an extremist in his views, and this was the reason why his candidacy was so warmly endorsed by two of the oldest presbyters in this diocese, while many of the younger clergymen preferred a priest of pronounced ritualistic tendencies.

VACATING STREETS.

A General Plan Against Vacating Streets to Private Enterprise.

To the Editor,
There is a petition being circulated soliciting names for the purpose of having a properly platted street in the second ward vacated.

This should not be allowed; the common council should not give away these franchises. We all know, when these things are asked for, it is for the special benefit of some few persons—not for the general benefit of the ward, but for the special benefit of private individuals interested, and property owners, should not become a party to give away something which cannot be returned, nor should the city council ratify any such personal deal. We have evidence of a number of such vacations of streets for personal use—at streets now needed. Take the block where the Doty Feed Mill now stands—we find the property on the north side of the street absolutely flooded several times a year from the fact there is no outlet for the heavy rains; the water has to turn corners and run two blocks to get into the river, necessitating a gutter which is an eyesore to all. There has been too much of this vacation business, and now is the time to say "stop." If we do not want these streets now, the time is coming when we shall. The council should not regard these personal accommodations to the detriment of the forthcoming wants of the city.

JOHN THORNTON, CHAIRMAN.

THOUGHT IT WAS BEAL.

A Tribute to Tragedian Robert Downing's Power.

Detroit Free Press: "The fainting of a snapper in the closing act of 'The Gladiator' last evening, was a telling tribute to the powerful acting of Mr. Downing. When Spartacus gave way to an agony of grief upon learning that wife and son were lost to him, the scene was so invested with realism that the gallant but stilted keeled over in a dead faint amid the rattling of his shield and falling spear. Manager Mack rushed to the rescue and when safely behind the scenes asked the super what was the matter.

"O! I thought it was real," answered the super, and again swooned away as he recalled the scene.

No remedy for blood disorder can equal Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Though contraindicated and powerful, it is made by perfectly safe, and can be taken by children as well as adults. Physicians recommend it in preference to any other. Price \$1. Worth \$5 a bottle.

AN 'AWFUL' TRAGEDY.

A Drunken Indian at the Fort Rock Agency Kills His Squaw, Two Indian Policemen, Fatally Wounds a Third and Takes His Own Life.

CAMP POPLAR RIVER, M. T., Dec. 17.—"Pretty Boy," a Sioux Indian, obtained drunk in some mysterious manner and became uproariously drunk on Saturday. He made a murderous attack upon his squaw. Seizing a stick of firewood he dealt the helpless creature a blow on the head which fell as well as it ever could, and he then proceeded to strangle her with the bloodthirsty brute jumped upon the prostrate body of the squaw and prepared to scalp her. By this time a crowd of about 100 Indians had gathered in the crowd were a number of Indian police who dragged "Pretty Boy" from the squaw. This so enraged "Pretty Boy" that, shaking off his captors, he ran to his tent and secured a Winchester rifle and opened fire on the police, instantly killing two of them and fatally wounding a third. He then proceeded to where his squaw was lying, and placing the muzzle of a deep cavity he fired four shots, literally blowing the woman's head to pieces. This done, the red devil attempted to effect his escape, being repeatedly at the Indians who were endeavoring to capture him. He was able to be killed on the brow of a hill about a mile from the agency, and after severing the arteries of his wrist with his knife, shot himself through the heart, death being instantaneous.

Manager & Colours.

Have two car loads of choice winter apples at \$2.00; 1 lb. salt \$1.00; 1 lb. granulated sugar \$1.00; 14 lbs. Ex. Co. \$1.00; 15 lbs. Co. \$1.00; 10 cans choice corn \$1.00; 10 cans choice tomatoes \$1.00; 10 cans choice sugar \$1.00; 1 gallon choice home made sorghum 50c; 1 lb. very best Jay's 50c; 1 lb. choice Jay's 30c; 30 cans, Minnesota flour \$1.25; Fancy Patent Minnesota flour \$1.55; 10 Selerates 6c; Daisy B. Powder 20c; 1 gallon oil 10c; 1 gallon Redlight oil 15c; choice butter and eggs always on hand.

Respectfully,
W. F. CURTIS.

HE BEAT THE BANK.

The Victimizer of the Merchants' and Mechanics' Bank Still at Large.

Although a Forged Check for Three Hundred and Seventy Dollars Awaits Him.

The good-looking stranger who got a Christmas present of three hundred and seventy dollars out of the Merchants' and Mechanics' bank on the strength of a forged check, is as much a stranger as ever. He came with a smile, but he left behind him sorrow, and the officers of the bank are searching after him diligently.

It was fully three months ago that a pleasant-looking young man whose face seemed familiar stepped up to the wicket of the Merchants' and Mechanics' Bank and presented a check for \$375.25 drawn by Baines, Haddies & Co. to B. H. Davis or Borer. The supposed Mr. Davis made it appear that everything was all right and his check was exchanged for cash.

It was not long before the check was found to be a forgery. By this time the young man and his smile had disappeared from sight as completely as if he had been swallowed him. No one answering to his description was known to Baines & Haddies, and the only clue that could be found was in a check for \$173.32 drawn in favor of a tobacco grower whose initials were also "B. H. D." and which check the former had apparently gained possession of long enough to get the points for a very accurate copy of signature and handwriting, instead of making the check out to "B. H. Davis or Borer," as all of Baines & Haddies' checks are drawn, he had left unaltered the printed formula "or bearer," and had so forgotten himself in endorsing the check as to make the endorsement read B. H., instead of B. H. Davis. Further than this, as said before, no clue has yet been found.

FROM COLLEGE HALLS.

Points from Janesville Students at Madison.

Special Correspondence.
Madison, Dec. 17.—The Senior class has voted to do away with commencement exercises, and as this practically settles the question, the traditional commencement at day is no more with us.

Boris Chapman, son of General Chapman, and a Sophomore at two universities, was captured last Tuesday while out sailing. He managed to float ashore by means of his capized boat, and was but little the worse for his odd bath.

Last Thursday evening the U. W. band played their first appearance for this season in the First Regiment Band concert. They were enthusiastically received.

Considerable impetus has been given to base ball enthusiasm by the rumor that Lunt, Wickham and Alward, of last year's Racine team, walked into the law school this winter.

WATCHING THE RIVER BANKS.

The Search After Patrick Malone Still Forwarded.

Men have been out for the past two or three days looking along the river banks for traces of Patrick Malone, who disappeared so mysteriously two weeks ago to-day. At the time of his disappearance, it will be remembered, he was partly under the influence of liquor and it was feared that he had fallen into the river.

The search has been confined principally to the shores near Monterey dam and the marsh just above it. So far it has been unsuccessful.

Dr. James Crook, dentist in Beloit, writes: "I have used Dr. Bull's Ointment Sorely and in my family for two or three years, and I am prepared to say that there is nothing to compare to it as a remedy for coughs, colds, etc." 25 cents.

PEOPLE ARE DECEIVED.

Every kind-hearted man who owns a horse will provide his animal a horse blanket both for stable wear and out door use. This is not a matter of kindness alone but really saves money. First because a horse that is well blanketed will keep in better condition, and in the spring will be in better shape for work than an unblanketed horse, which must spend a great deal of his vitality to keep warm. Again, a horse which is not blanketed must eat more to keep warm than a blanketed horse, and the saving alone would probably pay for several blankets.

In no fabric can a person be deceived more than in a horse blanket, as poor blankets which will last only a few weeks are made, which look and feel as well as a strong blanket which will last several seasons. The 5-A horse blanket manufacturers who are advertising in our columns make a specialty of strong horse blankets, and put their 5-A trade mark on each blanket; so buyers when purchasing can tell a strong blanket by looking for the 5-A trade mark.

I had a severe attack of catarrh, and became so deaf I could not hear common conversation. I suffered terribly from ringing in my head. I procured a bottle of Ely's Cream Balm and in three weeks could hear as well as I ever could, and now I can say to all who are afflicted with the worst of diseases, catarrh, take one bottle of Ely's Cream Balm and be cured. It is worth \$1.00 to any man, woman or child suffering from catarrh. A. E. Newman, Grayling, Mich.

—Christians work a specialty at the Gazette bindery.

SAUCO SALES.

Sales of Seed Leaf tobacco reported by J. S. Gans' Son & Co., Tobacco Brokers, No. 131 Water street, New York, for the week ending Dec. 17, '88:

200 cases, crop of 1887, Pennsylvania Seed, at 8 to 15 cents.

100 cases, crop of 1887, Pennsylvania at 9 to 10 cents.

100 cases, crop of 1887, Pennsylvania Havana, at 10 to 20 cents.

200 cases crop of 1887, State Havana, at 10 to 21 cents.

140 cases, crop of 1887, New England Havana at 10 to 20 cents.

100 cases, crop of 1887, New England Havana, at 14 to 22 cents.

120 cases, crop of 1887, Wisconsin Havana, at 10 to 12 cents.

200 cases Sandries at 5 to 30 cents.

Total, 1,510 cases.

—All kinds of blank books and blank work to order at the Gazette bindery.

ST. MARY'S FAIR.

A Grand Success—An Immense Crowd on Saturday Evening.

There was an immense crowd of people in attendance at St. Mary's Fair on Saturday night at the Armory, it being the close of the first week. So far the fair has been a gratifying success to the managers as well as a pleasing and attractive resort for the people. On Saturday evening, in addition to the other attractions there was some fine vocal music by several well-known local musicians. Those who drew prizes were:

Small air gun, No. 53, held by John Falter.

Pair vases, donated by Mrs. Mary Means, No. 24, held by Mrs. Phil Ruden.

Picture, "Maltese Terrier," donated by Mrs. George Ains, No. 43, held by Mrs. T. Hagerty.

Jar of butter, donated by Mrs. John Mallen, No. 49, held by John Gary.

Silk umbrellas, donated by Mrs. P. McGilnally, No. 221, held by J. B. Daly.

Quilt, donated by Miss Maggie Ward, No. 1, held by P. H. McGilnally, North Platte, Neb.

Dinner oyster, donated by Mrs. James Hagerty, No. 123, held by C. H. Knack.

Pair of towels, donated by the Young Ladies' Society, No. 11, held by Ed. F. Gillespie.

Pair of pillows, donated by Mrs. Tim O'Rourke, No. 32, held by T. Sager.

Cash and cash, donated by Mrs. William Cooley, No. 19, held by Mary Birmingham.

Bedspread, donated by Mrs. P. Hagerty,